

UNL EMERITI AND RETIREES ASSOCIATION

Wisherd Award for Research, Scholarly and Creative Activities Grant Application

The Maude E. Wisherd Fund underwrites some of the costs of continuing research, scholarly or creative activities of members of the UNL Emeriti and Retirees Association. The Wisherd Awards Committee decides yearly on the funds to be made available for grants. Currently paid-up members may apply for support with a maximum of \$2,000. Examples of kinds of activities that the grant may support include: research projects, other scholarly and creative work, publication costs associated with a book or journal article, writing a history of a department or college, and creative projects related to the community or university. Complete the following application form:

1. Application Information

a. Name of Applicant: _____

b. Address: _____

c. Phone: _____

d. Description of activity to be supported (attach on separate page).

e. Statement of benefit to general knowledge, to UNL, or to the UNL Emeriti & Retirees Association or to the community (attach statement on separate page).

f. Proposed budget (continue on a separate page, if necessary):

Note: Salary payments to applicants will not be supported by a Wisherd Fund grant.

_____	\$ _____
_____	\$ _____
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Total: _____ \$ _____

2. Include a statement of all other funding sources including department/unit, community organization, local business, personal, or in-kind support.
3. Three letters of support or recommendation are required: two (2) from colleagues and one from the chair of the appropriate academic department/unit or community organization. The letters of support may be submitted separately via email.
4. The Association expects a summary report concerning the nature and the outcome of the project or activity supported by the Wisherd Fund to be presented within 18 months after the date of the award. In addition, the Association asks that its support be acknowledged in any publication or presentation.

Deadline for submission is March 15. Submit applications and letters of support by email to Pcrews1@unl.edu.

If you have questions, please contact Patricia Crews by email (Pcrews1@unl.edu).